

15-1031 HOWELL V. HOWELL

DECISION BELOW: 361 P3d 936

LOWER COURT CASE NUMBER: CV-15-0030-PR

QUESTION PRESENTED:

Whether the Uniformed Services Former Spouses' Protection Act preempts a state court's order directing a veteran to indemnify a former spouse for a reduction in the former spouse's portion of the veteran's military retirement pay, where that reduction results from the veteran's post-divorce waiver of retirement pay in order to receive compensation for a service-connected disability.

CERT. GRANTED 12/2/2016